



Idaho Crop Progress and Condition

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Cool Weather Continues

Agricultural Summary

Temperatures across the state ranged from two to eleven degrees below normal for the week. Nearly all weather stations reported precipitation for the week. Major agricultural activities included planting pulse crops, potatoes and small grains.

Soil Moisture and Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil moisture is at 0% very short, 4% short, 75% adequate, and 21% surplus. Statewide, Idaho farmers had an average of 5.7 days suitable for fieldwork last week.

Field Crop Report

Drier weather was reported in much of the state. Alfalfa harvest has started in Twin Falls County according to the University of Idaho extension. Yields are expected to be lower than normal because of the late harvest. Wind has caused some damage to wheat fields in Fremont County. Many extension educators report very cool weather.

Livestock, Pasture and Range Report

Hay and roughage supplies were reported to be 53% very short, 27% short, 20% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Crop Progress Table

Percentages	2011	2010	Avg.
Oats Planted	86	95	98
Oats Emerged	61	79	84
Field Corn Planted	90	92	95
Field Corn Emerged	59	59	74
Dry Peas Planted	87	99	100
Dry Peas Emerged	51	87	89
Dry Beans Planted	47	52	79
Dry Beans Emerged	15	29	43
Lentils Planted	64	96	98
Lentils Emerged	41	72	79

Condition Table

Percentages	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Winter Wheat	2	4	10	69	15
Spring Wheat	--	1	18	68	13
Barley	1	1	27	59	12
Range and Pasture	1	12	21	54	12
Irr. Water Supply	-	-	1	32	67

Grain Growth Stage

Percentages	Jointed	Booted	Headed
Winter Wheat	67	35	12
Spring Wheat	27	--	--
Barley	27	--	--

Crop Progress District Table

Crop	North			Southwest			South-Central			East			State		
	2011	2010	Avg	2011	2010	Avg	2011	2010	Avg	2011	2010	Avg	2011	2010	Avg
Spring Wheat															
Emerged	84	98	95	100	100	100	98	99	100	82	88	94	85	92	95
Barley															
Emerged	83	97	94	100	100	100	95	97	97	64	74	84	74	81	88
Winter Wheat															
Headed	9	6	10	79	78	82	12	1	29	--	--	6	12	9	18
Potatoes															
Emerged	NA	NA	NA	100	99	100	40	44	78	15	12	34	26	24	49
Sugarbeets															
Emerged	NA	NA	NA	100	100	100	100	96	99	88	99	100	97	98	99
Alfalfa															
1 st Cutting	--	--	16	10	34	58	25	22	35	--	1	9	9	16	28

Avg (2006 – 2010); NA = Very small percentage of acreage in district.

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Weather Data for the Week Ending Sunday, June 5, 2011 ^{1/}

Station	Weekly Air Temperature				Weekly Precipitation		Since Mar 1 Precipitation		Growing Degree Days Since March 1		
	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total Inches	DFN	Total Inches	DFN	Base 40 Total	Base 50 Total	Base 50 DFN
North											
Coeur D' Alene	75	41	54	-7	0.47	-0.03	11.36	4.94	523	117	-148
Grangeville	81	39	53	-3	1.20	0.43	12.16	3.32	448	87	-51
Lewiston	80	44	57	-6	0.67	0.32	7.50	3.72	966	262	-182
Porthill	74	39	55	-4	0.62	0.20	7.95	3.06	553	132	-69
Winchester	75	35	50	-2	0.75	0.12	11.6	2.75	260	33	-33
Southwest											
Boise	85	41	58	-5	0.08	-0.13	6.77	3.01	851	235	-172
Emmett	75	36	54	-9	0.08	-0.20	7.17	3.49	747	199	-219
Glenns Ferry	90	33	57	-6	0.24	0.03	6.50	3.78	735	208	-210
Grandview	90	34	59	-7	0.11	-0.10	3.44	1.23	851	239	-293
Nampa	81	37	57	-7	0.06	-0.15	3.66	0.65	776	210	-285
Parma	83	41	58	-5	0.00	-0.27	4.65	1.41	863	242	-179
South Central											
Fairfield	77	30	49	-6	0.24	-0.04	4.36	0.61	295	52	-66
Malta	80	28	52	-7	0.07	-0.28	5.71	2.12	491	97	-162
Picabo	80	28	51	-5	0.17	-0.12	4.75	1.23	390	87	-46
Rupert	82	32	53	-6	0.00	-0.28	4.48	1.47	528	115	-138
Twin Falls	86	32	55	-4	0.05	-0.19	5.47	2.23	603	148	-112
East											
Aberdeen	82	33	51	-6	0.06	-0.22	2.81	-0.18	459	92	-98
Ashton	80	33	51	-4	0.42	-0.12	5.79	0.02	317	59	-53
Fort Hall	83	34	54	-5	0.40	0.07	6.27	2.35	505	109	-125
Idaho Falls	76	34	51	-7	0.13	-0.22	3.87	0.41	559	140	-57
Lava Hot Springs	75	33	50	-9	0.48	0.15	9.66	5.74	392	68	-166
Montevieu	81	29	48	-11	0.01	-0.29	2.67	-0.38	368	69	-122
Preston	82	34	54	-5	0.25	-0.12	8.23	3.87	519	120	-136
Rexburg	81	30	51	-4	0.67	0.25	4.89	0.79	422	83	-50

1/ Summary based on NWS data. DFN = Departure From Normal. Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit. Weather data prepared by AWIS, Inc. For more weather information visit www.awis.com or call 1-888-798-9955.